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In Re Application of:

BANKIEWICZ et al.

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Title: METHODS OF TREATING CENTRAL NERVOUS
SYSTEM DISORDERS USING VIRAL VECTORS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2003, with a shortened statutory period of three months for response. Accordingly, a three-month extension of time in which to respond is requested and a petition and fee therefor accompany this response. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

A listing of claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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